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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

This is a timely response to the Office Action and Restriction Requirement mailed in the captioned application on August 29, 1997, with a response due on November 29, 1997.

In the Claims:

Claim 6 (amended):

The composition of claim 5 wherein the osteogenic component is selected from the group consisting of:

- (i) demineralized bone matrix (DBM);
- (ii) bioactive glass ceramic, BIOGLASS®, which is SiO<sub>2</sub>, Na<sub>2</sub>O, CaO, P<sub>2</sub>O<sub>5</sub> glass, bioactive ceramic, calcium phosphate ceramic, hydroxyapatite, hydroxyapatite carbonate, coralline hydroxyapatite, calcined bone, tricalcium phosphate, or mixtures thereof.